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RAILROAD ACCIDENT

PEACH TRAINS COLLIDE AT ST. ANNE'S CROSSING.

WRECK AT PORTERS STATION

In Which One Man is Killed and Several Others Badly Injured—The Midnight Norfolk Express loses a Fireman, but the Passengers Escape Unhurt.

WRECKS on the Delaware Division are not of very frequent occurrance, and when they come as close together in point of time and distance as those of Tuesday, everything along the line seems to feel the effect.

News came to Middletown on Tuesday afternoon about 3 o'clock, that a serious accident had occurred at St. Anne's crossing about one mile down the road, and in a very short time crowds of spectators were on the spot to view the ruins. There were six cars demolished, and the cargo of fruit, peaches, apples and cantaloups in piles waist deep, were strewn along the track.

The accident occurred by a collision of two north bound freight trains. While cars were being weighed at Middletown, a heavily loaded peach train was blocked at the upper culvert, awaiting a clear track to this station, where it was run into from the rear end by another freight, that had not been signaled to stop, and coming around the curve, went crashing into the waiting train, completely wrecking several cars, throwing them over the embankment and causing a general disaster.

The engineer Joseph Bartley, of No. 72, of the colliding train was slightly injured but his engine was very little damaged, and never left the track.

The work of clearing up the debris consumed five or six hours, the demolished cars were piled along the road side and burned, and as the accident occurred near the side track to the gravel pit, the standing cars were removed from the main track and about 10:30 o'clock the way was clear.

While all was activity at the scene of the disaster, the Middletown station furnished a woe begone picture. Three south bound passenger trains were in waiting and the enforced delay of the travelers from 3.37 until after 10 o'clock, was not calculated to make good cheer. Mothers with fretting little ones walked the platform hour after hour, pleasure seekers bewailed their thwarted plans, and business men fretted and fumed as only men can. While a few were philosophic enough to make the best of the situation, and with a plenty of peaches to fill the vacuums caused by the deferred supper hour, they seemed to find the hours not quite so tedious as they might have been.

It was after 10 o'clock when the wreckers had the track cleared, and the trains again began to move. But the wrecking crew had hardly finished their work at St Anne's when they were called to service on account of

THE WORSE WRECK AT PORTER'S,

in which one man was killed and several seriously hurt. The disaster was caused by the collision of the south bound Norfolk express, with a freight train that was trying to shift to a side track, but failed to get out of the way in time for the express to pass, for the engine and two cars were still on the main track when the express, having the right of way to Middletown, came thundering along at the rate of 40 miles an hour, and went plunging into the unfortunate freight. The noise of the midnight collision was heard in the surrounding neighborhood, and many were aroused and came to the rescue.

The express consisted of two sleepers, two day coaches, one car for baggage and another for express matter. James A. Grubb was engineer, and William B. Wheatley was his fireman.

The engine and baggage car of this train, and the tender and two cars of the freight train were completely wrecked, and as the frighted trainmen and passengers became aware of the extent of the disaster, there was general confusion, which was only increased by the midnight darkness. Fireman Wheatley was thrown with great force for several feet, and struck on his head, inflicting a terrible gash across the scalp, and causing concussion of the brain. He was unconscious when removed from the wreck, to Delaware Hospital where he died a few hours later. His home is on Elm street, Wilmington, where his body was taken on Wednesday.

Engineer Grubb was severely bruised but not seriously injured, but if he had remained in his cab he would have been instantly killed.

Freight Brakeman Carey was found under the wreckage with his right foot almost severed. He was head brakeman and the only one of the freight crew injured. He was taken to the Delaware Hospital where his foot was amputated, and he is reported as doing well.

Drs. Draper and Ogle, of Wilmington, and Drs. Vaughn and Constable, of Middletown, were taken to the scene of the wreck on specials and everything possible was done for the relief of the injured.

Fortunately, Robert Mills, of Delaware City, was the only passenger hurt, but many were badly frightened, though some of the sound sleepers did not know of the accident until it was all over.

All night long the wrecking crew worked to clear the track, and paople from all the country round went to view the ruins, which were plainly visible for some distance. The freight cars were piled in the air, and the express car almost in splinters while the engine of the express was completely demolished.

The two accidents comnig when the peach shipments were the heaviest of the season, caused a great loss of fruit, besides the 4,000 baskets wrecked at St. Anne's. Heavily loaded peach trains were tracked along the line, and being so long delayed and only reach market to glut it. The [illegible] the railroad [illegible] with necessary [illegible] saw the alert, dignified [illegible] thought of the [illegible]

DISTRUCTION AT OCEAN GROVE.

Two Lives Lost and Much Property Distroyed.

OCEAN GROVE, August 24, (Special.)—The wildest summer storm that ever visited this place broke upon us about 3 o'clock this morning. The devastation is unparalleled for years.

The boardwalk and pavilions are a wreck. Tents were lifted bodily into the air and collapsed, exposing the shivering and scarcely clothed inhabitants to the drenching rain. Trees snapped like pipe stems and crashed into windows and tents.

The intensest excitement, however, was among the tents. About half a hundred cottages now lie on the ground. The gale broke off the posts and in many cases the tents collapsed before the occupants could escape.

Consternation prevailed among the women. Many of them ran screaming through the streets, bewailing their fate and asking to be taken into shelter. The more fortunate neighbors, who live in frame houses, gave ready assistance to the homeless summer visitors.

The greatest damage in Ocean Grove was at and near Lillagore's bathing establishment and among the tents along Fletcher Lake.

The most of it was done within half an hour after 3.45 o'clock in the morning.

The boardwalk between Lillagore's and the fishing pier is entirely swept away. It lies scattered along Ocean avenue and up the streets as far as Central avenue, two blocks away.

Lillagores establishment is a complete wreck. The proprietor conservatively estimates the loss at $6000.

The Mary F. Kelley, a fishing smack from New York, was wrecked. Four souls were washed overboard and lost. Seven terrified seamen were rescued after a thrilling experience.

Several tons of the wreckage are strewn up Broadway for two squares. Broken chairs, pieces of roofing and flooring and fragments of tables are promiscuously mixed in the debries.

DELAWARE DAY.

The Fruit of Our Little State the Center of Attraction at Chicago.

Last Wednesday was Delaware Day at the great Worlds Fair, and from reports already received, the exercises were a perfect success. Our little State had the opportunity and improved it, of showing the world what we are and what we can do.

Governor Reynolds made a creditable speech and Commissioner Massey was received with shouts of applause. Other speakers wore Messrs Wolcott, Lore and Pennewill.

The features of special attraction was the cargo of Delaware peaches, which was as fine a lot as ever looked upon, They were distributed to the visitors after the Governor's reception.

Among those who received the visitors at the Delaware Building were: Governor Reynolds, Mrs. Caleb Churchman, Chief Justice Lore, Chancellor Wolcott, George V. Massey, ex-Governor Stockley, Robert W. Reynolds, Judge Ball, James Pennewill, Senator B. L. Lewis, Miss Bacon and Miss Viola Roman, State COmmissioners; Miss E. Pennewill, Miss Mary L. Burton, Miss Caulk, Miss Buelah Wilds, Miss Mollie Taylor. Senator A. B. Richardson, Secretary of State J. D. Hawkins, Mrs. G. V. Massey, Mrs. Samuel W. Hall and Thomas F. Bayard, Jr. Ambassador Bayard sent his regrets.

Base Ball at Townsend.

TOWNSEND, August 25, (Special.)—The Townsend Club played three games the past week, with a record of a victory, a defeat and a tie. The first game was played at Smyrna, Saturday. The Townsend boys could not bat Stevens, while Smyrna knocked Stradley out of the box in four innings In the fifth J. Townsend was put in and Smyrna only made three runs off him in the five innings that he pitched. The score:

Smyrna.....5 4 1 4 1 0 2 0 0—17
Townsend.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0

Batteries, for Smyrna, Stevens and Wright. for Townsend, Stradley, Townsend and Barber.

The second game, a tie, was played at Townsend on Wednesday. The game was called in the ninth inning on account of darkness.

Townsend.....0 2 0 1 3 0 0 0 3—9
Smyrna.....0 1 1 1 1 2 0 0 3—9

Batteries, for Smyrna, Stevens and Wright, for Townsend, Watts and Barber.

The third game was played at Cecilton on Thursday. Cecilton had Beasten, a young collegian, in the box while Townsend had Stevens. The score.

Townsend.....3 0 3 6 1 4 0 2 1—20
Smyrna.....0 0 0 1 1 0 3 0 0—5

Batteries, for Townsend, Stevens and Barber. for Cecilton, Beasten and Pearce.

Jr. O. U. A. M. Reception.

On Saturday night the Council No. 2, Jr., O. U. A. M., of Middletown, gave a reception in honor of Gustav Bacharach and Past State Councillor H. A. Heisler, both very prominent members of the order in Pennsylvania. Speeches were made by Messrs. Heisler. Bacharach, Suydam, Browne, and others. Cigars and peaches were served in abundance, and a most delightful evening was spent. The visitors made themselves at home and the council did their best to make their stay enjoyable. While in town they were the guests of E. S. Jones.

Schools to Open.

Vacation days are nearly ended, autumn is drawing near, and ere long school will begin, and, teachers and pupils will resume their work. The Middletown schools open one week from next Monday, September 4, and the same corps of teachers, though with a few changes in positions, will care for the "young idea." Come children, get ready for school. The bell will soon be ringing.

Cecil County Fair.

The Cecil County Fair to be held at Elkton, September 5 to 8, promises to be one of the most successful ever held. Besides the largest entry in the races of any preceding year, there are numerous other attractions that cannot fail to draw a large attendance, and please all who go.

We Own the Corn.

Says the Elkton *Appeal*: Our contemporary the Middletown *Transcript*, offers to donate money to any charitable institution if it is not the best and handsomest week'y paper on the peninsula. We acknowledge that the *Transcript* is good looking to be got up in Delaware; but would humbly suggest that a donation of Cap. M's would help its appearance. The *Appeal* scores one on us and we acknowledge the corn.

BARBAROUS PERFORMANCES

TORTURE DANCE OF THE INDIANS HORRIFY THE SPECTATORS.

PLANTATION MELODIES

Jubilee Singers Attract the Crowds—Austrians in Chicago Celebrate Their Emperor's Birthday—"Poets Day" and Other Features of Interest.

BITES of savage men chilled the blood of 10,000 persons on the eastern bank of the south pond Thursday night. Four Quackahl Indians on a float fifty feet from the bank went through a performance which will last as long as memory in the minds of those who witness it. The Indians, with heavy twine strings fastened through slits in their bare backs, raced around the narrow platform driven by two other Indians who seemed to take a wild pleasure in the act. Little rivulets of blood trickled from the cuts down the bronzed backs. Around and around they ran, leaping, twisting and diving till it seemed to the horror-stricken spectators that each instant would see the flesh torn from the bodies. Then came the acme of savage enjoyment. Two sturdy natives stepped out from the crowd that borded the edge of the float. Advancing, each seized one of the men who had been subject to the torture. The drivers braced themselves for a strain. Great ridges of flesh stood out on the backs of the Indians. Fresh jets of blood spurted in red streaks. The flickering red light cast an unearthly shadow on the grewsome scene. Women on the shore shut their eyes, while men turned away their heads. Then came another sharp pull from the drivers and another wrench by the men who were holding their comrades. It was more than an Indian's stoical nature could stand and a low moan escaped the lips of the tortured. Meanwhile a circle of old women and medicine men surrounded the wreathing, struggling four. The steady drone of the tomtoms, the shrill rattle of gourds and the monotonous chant which told of valiant deeds in war and the case incited the braves to further effort. At last it was done. One final tear and the cords gave way, while the released flesh fell back into its normal position.

Freed from the torture, one of the men seemed to go wild. A heavy native rope was twined under his arms and about his shoulders, and he continued the dance. Ever with him one of his friends held the thongs which bound him. At times he would make desperate efforts to free himself. Grinding his teeth and emitting guttural growls, he sprung at everything within reach. Then another friend came to help hold the fanatic, who by this time was beside himself. The combined strength of his captors sufficed to keep him quiet for a time, but he was only husbanding his strength for a last effort. His opportunity came soon. Seizing a favorable moment, he broke away and with a single bound reached the interpreter, George Hunt, who was standing at one side. Before the Quackahl could be restrained he had sunk his teeth deep into Hunt's arm. He held on until a number of Indians pulled him away. This act seemed to pacify the dancer and he became quiet.

The torture or sun dance was originally devised to test the courage of young braves who desired to go on the war path. It is to be regretted, however, that the World's Fair directors permit such barbarous performances to be given within the fair's enclosures. Tortur dances are given every night on the plaisance and should be stopped at once.

For the first time since the fair was opened the south side of the grounds Thursday night had its share of illumination. Thousands of gay-colored Chinese lanters swung from trees and posts around the anthropological building. The carvels kept open house. From every part of their rigging hung many colored lights. The yard arms and short masts were resplendent with brightness and a band stationed near at hand discoursed music during the evening. Illuminated launches floated in the south pond and on every side were life and color. Every Thursday evening hereafter the south side will be illuminated, and it is the purpose of Mr. Millet and his associates to make the "back yard" of the grounds as attractive as any other portion of Jackson park.

An interesting feature of last Thursday evening's entertainment was a Soudanese sword dance. Five Bedouins from the desert of Sahara took part in it. They were led by on old sheik, Prince Meeronali Haaf, oosh, who in his own country is the ruler of a large tribe. Mock duels were given with some brilliant passages at arms. The weapons were Arabian cimaters. With lightning rapidity the Bedouins whirled their swords above their heads and around their bodies until the burnished steel appeared as a circle of light. In one part of the performances, the sheik defended himself against the combined attacks of his four companions. Beset on all sides and with only his rawhide shield as a guard, he easily kept his assailants at bay and finally beat them back, defeated. Another new feature introduced was a series of plantation melodies sung by the J. Augustus Caroline Jubilee society, consisting of ten colored performers. Their music was appreciated by the crowd and they were frequently encored.

A force of workmen now have possession of that part of Jackson park where "As You Like It" will be produced on poets' day, August 25th, and have begun preparing for the event. The grounds have already been staked out. Now that the cast has been arranged the work will be rapidly pushed. At the production of the play Henry Lee will read as a prologue to the production an original poem by a Chicago journalist. The following named well-known theatrical artists will comprise the cast of "As You Like It:" Rose Coghlan, Kate Claxton, Maude Harrison, Helon Bancroft, Alexander Salvini, Chas. Coghlan, John Glendinning, Clarence Aandysides, Charles Stevenson, John T. Sullivan, Edward J. Henley, Sandow, James Howell, C. V. Seabrook, and Stuart Robson.

Friday was the birthday of his apostolic majesty Emperor Francis Joseph I. of Austria. The World's Fair filled in another page of its birthday book with a celebration for the aged monarch has many loyal subjects in Jackson park and the Austrians of Chicago always remember this festival day of their fatherland. The day began by the celebration of high mass at St. James' church, corner of Wabash avenue and Twenty-ninth street, at 9 a. m. His grace Archbishop L. Katzer, of Milwaukee officiated. At 12.50 o'clock the celebration was transferred to the Austrian section in the manufactures building, and at 2 o'clock formal exercises were held in music hall. Court Director C. A. Riehrer conducted the music and Anton von Pahtschek-Palmforst presided. The celebration concluded with an alfresco festival and concert in Old Vienna. The Austrian fete was inaugurated Thursday evening with a banquet at the Lexington hotel.

The foreign commissiones who are going to Dakota to see the 10,000-acre wheat field harvested will leave Chicago Aug. 23 at midnight. They will go eighty miles up the road, where they will wait until daylight in order that they may see the country At noon Aug. 24 they will stop at the dells of Wisconsin and make a two hours excursion in carriages looking, at the scenery. From there they will go to St. Paul, arriving at 8.30 in the morning, and will be entertained by the mayor and citizens of St. Paul and shown the sights of the city. On the 26th. they will be entertained by citizens of Minneapolis, leaving on the following morning for Grand Forks and arriving at Laramie on the morning of the 29th. Here they will take carriages and go out into the country and watch the harvesting of the 10,000-acre wheat field At Larimore the the excursionists, representing, as they will, the most widespread and far-reaching agricultural interests of the world, will have ample opportunity for personally judging of the tests sustained by reaping, binding and threshing machines used in modern agricultural work.

Dahomey carried off the honors Wednesday afternoon at the international boat race, and Kaugi. the big muscular negro, received from Capt. Coucas a $5 gold piece. Not satisfied with this he dove for coin and gave exhibitions of his skill in the water. The series consisted of "heat" races, each country trying its best men for the final. The Aenobscot Indians rowed, or rather paddled, the first race. With a fair start Nic Sachbeson shot his birch bark canoe ahead and was an easy winner. Then came the Eskimos, with their canoes made of skin and their easy, graceful motion. Their boys they call kyacks, and are very shallow. Caugi Geghatcook, won easily, and was the "sure thing' among the sporty boys on shore for the final. The Dahomeyans came next and those who were present at the swimming match last Friday covered all the bets they could get on the Dahomeyans. Ipak won in a close contest.

And then came the final Dahomey and Eskimo were even for nearly half the course. Then the grit of the Eskimo gave out, and the black Dahomeyan forged ahead and won easily. Ekimo second, Penobscot Indian third. At the end of each heat race the winner was presented with $2.50, and the first and second man in the final got $5 and $3 respectively. The Dahomeyan not alone won the race, but he put up $7.50 in good, solid money to convince the doubtful ones who may have said he was in gross error.

Lily, the dwarf elephant at Hagenback's Midway Plaisace "Zoo," died Sunday morning. The animal never recovered from a cold that she contracted upon her arrival in Chicago last April. Tege, her keeper, did everything in his power to save her but without success. She was the smallest elephant in captivety, weighing but 180 pounds, and was thirty-six inches high. She was born six years ago in Summatra. A ship captain first saw her and bought her for Hagenback. She was first taken to Hamburg, where she was exhibited, then sent to Berlin, later to London, and last spring shipped to America. The carcass has been sent to a taxidermist in Milwaukee, who will mount the hide and skeleton for a museum in that city

Paid attendance is increasing steadily, as will be seen by the following figures, Aug. 14, 105,471; Aug. 15, 123,530; Aug. 16th; 112,368; Aug. 17, 140,404. Total from May 1: 8, 110,123.

RESOLUTIONS.

Sons of Delaware in Philadelphia Pay Tribute to a Deceased Member.

WHEREAS, The Supreme Being in his might and wisdom has seen fit to call from our midst our well beloved brother Doctor Louis K. Baldwin, and it is therefore;

Resolved, by the Board af Governors of The Sons of Delaware, That by the death of Dr. Baldwin there has passed from among us a member of this Board whose efficiency, readiness and geniality will never be forgotten and a member of our organization whose unswerving sense of right and kindness of heart marked him as ever worthy of emulation both in his daily life as a citizen and in the ties of companionship. We futher sincerely feel that there has been taken from us one whose exemplary conduct in all his relations touching society and the State could yet have accomplished much to assist us in attaining ideal mandhood and the loftier truths of life had he been permitted to remain among us, yet in our grief, feeling the narrow scope of human vision, we do humbly submit to the mandate of the Giver of All Good. And it is further

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon our minutes and that a copy hereof be transmitted by the Secretary to the family of our lamated friend.

Unclaimed Letters.

List of unclaimed letters at the postoffice: Mrs. Leafy Black and Mrs. Lizzie Bucke.

A Card.

Some doubts having arisen among my customers as to my buying grain for The Wm. Lea & Sons Co., of Wilmington, Del. I wish to say that I am still agent for The Wm. Lea & Sons Co., in the purchase of grain, and am prepared to pay the highest market price for wheat and corn, and pay for the same by the load or crop. The flour and feed constantly on hand.

JOHN W. JOLLS.
MIDDLETOWN, DEL., Aug. 5th '93.

BEAUTIFUL INCONSISTENCY

"THE TALL SYCAMORE OF THE WABASH" MAKES

SOME FUNNY STATEMENTS

That Cause Dignified Senators to Laugh—A Very Remarkable Speech, in Favor of Repeal, but not Much Comfort to Some of Our Money Men.

SENATOR Voorhees' speech on the Repeal bill in the U. S. Senate last Tuesday, will go a great way to prove that the Democratic party is not fit to govern this country. Here is the leader of their financial policy, the chairman of their Senate Committee on finances, a party leader of great notoriety, if not of fame, making an exhibition of himself so that his associates laugh in his face as he turns off his rhetorical contradictions. He introduced and ostensibly spoke for a bill stopping the purchase of silver, a thing the silver men most strenously and bitterly oppose, but his entire speech consists of abuse of gold and laudation of silver and fiat money generally. He denounced National banks beyond all reason, and yet he is the author of a bill now pending in the U. S. Senate, providing for the increase of the National bank circulation by one-tenth. He supported the pension unqualifiedly, and yet he lauded Cleveland adnauseam. No wonder Senators laughed in his face. Such wanton demagogy is bad enough in the pettiest partisan, but in a United States Senator it is painful and humiliating. Voorhees has "the fatal gift of oratory," that is he has abused a great gift. Early in life he became "a great criminal lawyer," and as is generally the result with great defenders of crime, he gradually ceased to value honesty of speech and became himself, not a criminal in fact, but unconsciously an intellectual criminal. Voorhees seems to be unconscious that he is looking one way and talking in another. That he is denouncing as a crime the very votes which he proposes to cast. But then he interviewed Grover last April and he has received a number of very nice appointments since.

PENINSULA FRUIT CROP.

A Great Loss of Fruit on Account a Lack of Cars.

This week marks the largest shipments of peaches of the season, many of the choice varieties have been coming in, and the growers down the State have been complaining of the lack of cars to convey the fruit to market. At Milford thousands of baskets of peaches have been piled along the track awaiting cars to load then, and many farmers carried their fruit back home to feed to their hogs. It is said that at one time there were over a hundred wagons standing about the Milford station awaiting the arrival of cars that had been promised by the Superintendent, and after waiting for hours, thousands of baskets were returned home, and many thousands were emptied out.

J. B. Foard shipped over 900 baskets one day this week. The largest shipment of any day thus far in the season.

A Narrow Escape.

Thomas Cochran, Jr., had a fortunate escape from severe injury at the railroad accident at St. Anne's on Tuesday. He was returning home from a business trip, and was riding in the caboose on the train that was run into, but seeing that the disaster was imminent, he had time to jump from the car before the engine struck it, and thus escaped what might have been a serious accident.

Republican Candidates in Maryland.

At the Republican Convention held in Elkton, Md., on Monday, Charles S. Ellison, formerly of this neighborhood, was chosen as a candidate for the House of Delegates from the First District. Charlie is an all around man, clean to the core, and we hope will go in on a big majority. L. Marshall Haines, of the Third District is the candidate for State Senator.

A Day at The "Piers."

The Band wagon carried a load of merry pleasure seekers to Augustine Pier on Thursday, and a delightful day was spent at this favorite resort. The party was under the skillful guidance of Mr. E. S. Jones, and beside his family and guests, was composed of Mrs. Maggie Darlington, Mrs. Parsons, Mrs. T. H. Armstrong, Mrs. H. Johnson; Daisy Armstrong, Blanche Armstrong, Susie Parker, Lizzie Hopkins, Vance Armstrong, Fred Raine.

A Golden Wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel McVey, near Jamison's Corner, celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage on Tuesday. About 25 friends were present and the old time hospitality of the host and hostess were much enjoyed by all.

To Pay Once a Month.

Young, Smyth, Field & Co., have arranged to pay the employees of the shirt factory at the end of each month and to use checks instead of currency.

No Services at the M. E. Church.

On account of the absence of the pastor, and a previous engagement by Rev. J. B. Roberts, there will be no service at the M. E Church, to-morrow.

Lost Both Legs.

J. H. Coulbourn, who represents F. H Gibson, a Philadelphia commission merchant, while passing through Ridgley, Md. on the train Wednesday night, got upon the platform of one car to talk to a friend at the station. He fell off and the wheel passed over both legs He was taken to the Jefferson Hospital in Philadelphia where both legs were to be amputated.

UNCERTAINTY ABOUT THE TARIFF

The Cause of the Financial and Commercial Trouble.

The following letter published in the *Morning News*, gives some interesting suggestions along the line of our present difficulties.

WILMINGTON, Del., August 20, 1892.

THE HON. ANTHONY HIGGINS.

DEAR SIR: I understand you expect to make a speech in the Senate on the financial and business troubles which the country is now experiencing. I will give you a text:

Confidence is the foundation of financial, commercial and business prosperity; destroy confidence and you sap the foundation of the whole structure. The great and increasing depression in the business of the country may be due in part of the purchase of silver by the government and to the change in the relative value of gold and silver. This difference arises not so much from the demonetization of silver by other nations as from the increased production—more silver being produced than the world can use for the purposes for which it has heretofore been employed. I think that the repeal of the Sherman law, and the refusal of Congress to increase the quantity of silver coined to any great extent, will afford some relief, but will not restore entire confidence.

Gold and silver are commodities, the value of which depends on the demand and supply (the cost of production) as much as that of the other metals, or wheat and corn—nations that we owe will not take in payment our silver at a price above what it is worth in the markets of the world.

The change in the relative value of the two metals has produced a financial crisis which may make it necessary that there be some legislation regulating the relative amount of these metals in the coin of the country.

The trouble arises from a want of confidence on the part of capitalists, manufacturers and business men, in the ability and integrity of the party in power, but primarily from the fear that the protective features of the tariff will be destroyed—as the party in power and the President are pledged to do—what confidence can capitalists have in the financial ability of men who thought it necessary to give the country "such an object lesson" as they have on the silver question, or in the majority in Congress to properly legislate for such emergencies, of what confidence can manufacturers and men employing labor have in a party controlled by men whose aim has been to create dissension between laborer and his employer, telling the former that he was being robbed by his employer, whose hands "have been in his pockets up to the elbow."

If the duties on manufactures are reduced in order to yield enough revenue, the volume of imports must necessarily be increased. This, of course, means a correspoindingly less consumption of articles made in this country or a reduction in the price in order to meet foreign competition—which can only be brought about by a reduction in the cost of labor, as labor is the great element in the cost of all manufacturers. With the fear of this reduction in price and increased foreign competition, prudent business men are not disposed to carry large stocks of raw materialals (ore, iron, cotton, wool, etc.) or to pile up their manufacturers in anticipation of future orders.

I doubt there being any permanent improvement in business as long as the uncertainty about the tariff exists, it being the primary cause of the trouble.

Yours respectfully,
(Signed) GEORGE G. LOBDELL.

BURGLARS AT BISHOPSTEAD.

Thieves Enter the Bishop's House and Steal Money and Treasure.

Bishopstead, the home of Bishop Leighton Coleman, was entered early Monday morning by burglars, who ransacked the house from top to bottom while the family was sleeping. The house was entered by prying open a basement window. They first began their search for plunder in the basement but finding little of value, indulged in a banquet, taking what eatables were in sight. No one in the house heard the robbers, although the room in which one of the servants was sleeping was visited and ransacked. The thieves removed a pair of handsome gold cuff buttons that were in Bishop Coleman's cuff's, which he had left lying on the table in his study before retiring.

The offertory funds of the early morning and evening services at St. John's Church were also taken by the robbers. It was by chance that the offerings were at the Bishop's house. The treasurer of the church was away and Bishop Coleman offered to take charge of the collection until he returned, which he did to-day. The thieves secured a lot of silverware and several small pieces of jewelery. The loss to the Bishop and his family will amount to several hundred dollars.

A DESTRUCTIVE STORM.

The Drought Ended by an all Night's Rain—A Severe Wind Storm Prevails.

The long wished for rain came on Wednesday night, and the drought that has been so destructive to vegetation, is ended. The rain began early in the evening and continued until morning. A fierce gale began to blow about mid-night, but no damage was done in Middletown other than the breaking of boughs from trees and leveling gardens to the ground.

Much damage was done to the fruit crop, peach orchards and apple orchards being almost stripped of the fruit that still remained, and the corn in many fields is lying flat to the ground.

The storm was general, and very severe along the water fronts.

It is estimated that the storm did at least from $50,000 to $60,000 worth of damage on the peninsula, the loss to the peach crop alone being fully $25,000.

Large line of Ladies Underwear at A. S. Adams.

A Pretty Wedding at Smyrna.

The marriage of Miss Carolin K. Budd of Smyrna, to Mr. James H. McNeal, of Easton, Md., was solemnized at the home of the bride's father, Henry G. Budd, Esq., on Wednesday afternoon. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Henry G. Budd, assisted by Rev Adam Stengle. Only a few of the friends of the contracting parties were present, and after refreshments the bridal party set out for a visit to the popular sea-side resorts, including Ocean Grove.

SEA SHORE ATTRACTIONS

OCEAN GROVE DRAWS A LARGE NUMBER OF VISITORS.

24TH ANNUAL CAMP MEETING

Opening Sermon by Bishop Walden. Programme of Daily Services. Middletown Well Represented at the Haven by the Sea—Improvements Continue to be Made.

THIS wonderful sea side city in the twenty-fourth year of its existence, is just now touching the heighth of her season. The increased interest and phenominal growth is a marvel to all who come here. The indications are now, that the attendance of '93 will surpass any preceeding season. The Columbian Fair and financial stringency has had no perceptable effect in depleting the numbers coming here. The cottages and hotels are filling up to their full capacity, and within the next twenty-four hours every available place of entertainment will be occupied, and those who have made arrangements before coming will be the fortunate ones.

The development of the natural resources and liberal outlay of money in providing for the comfort of visitors makes this the most attractive place along the coast, and a center of interest second to no other in all our land. Each year the numbers increase, and the indications point to this as the popular resort for the religiously inclined for all time to come.

After the holding of conventions, institutes, and schools of various sorts, for the mental and moral help of the thousands who have been here during the season. The twenty-fourth annual camp meeting began Tuesday. To those who attended the first service on these grounds, the change since then can scarcely be realized. Rev. Bishop Walden preached the opening sermon to one of the largest congregation usually gathered in this place. The immense auditorium was crowded to its fullest capacity, while the platform was filled with distinguished ministers from all parts of this, and many from foreign countries. The Bishop selected his text from Romans, VIII, 28, "And We Know That All Things Work Together for Good to Them That Love God." The leading thought of the discourse was "God discriminates among individuals on the basis of character." The plan of salvation was ordained to help man build character and such builders are the recipients of this promise. The sermon was strong, logical and convincing. The following programme of daily services during the camp meeting will indicate the religious work to be accomplished, and the opportunities offered for work on the various lines of christian effort:

Consecration Meeting in Tabernacle, Rev. R. J. Andrews, D. D, leader, 6.45 to 6.45 a. m.

Family Devotions, Auditorium, 6.45 to 7.00 a. m., led by Dr. Stokes.

Holiness Meeting, Tabernacle, Mrs. Palmer, 9.00 a. m.

Young People's Meeting, Temple, Rev. C. H. Yatman and F. B. Hoagland, 9.00 a. m.

Helping Hand, Thornley Chapel, Rev. R. S. Andeews, D. D., 9.00 a. m.

Public Services, Auditorium, 10.30 a. m., 3.00 and 7.30 p. m.

Mrs. Lizzie Smith's Meeting, Tabernacle, 1.30 p. m.

Mothers' Meeting, Young People's Temple, Mrs. Wheeler, 2.00 p. m.

Children's Meeting, Temple, Mrs. Grace Weiser Davis, 4 30 p. m.

Twilight Service, Temple, Rev. C. H. Yatman and F. B. Hoagland, 6.30 p. m.

The fraternal spirit seen in the hearty co-operation of christians of all denominations, is commendable in the highest degree. It is difficult to discern denominational lines, so intent are all in saving seuls and helping christians into the most satisfactory experience.

One thing that impresses the mind of all who visit here is the strict observance of Sabbath. This is the one spot in all our land undisturbed on this holy day: the world is shut out, and the christian sentiment of these thousands is in no way offended by the godless Sabbath desecrator, and demonstrates the possibility of maintaining the sanctity of the Lord's day, under proper rules and sensible management, as it has been done here for nearly twenty-five years. The restrictions, the pressure of which have been so severely criticized, receive the hearty endorsement of the thousands who are here for rest, religious help and the highest social enjoyment.

The new auditorium, the plans for which are completed, will be begun at the close of the ten days service now being held, $43,000 have been raised and an additional $7,000 will be secured, which will make the estimated amount for the building. The first story will be constructed of brown stone, with a beautiful front facing the sea of the same material. The seating will be in amphitheater style to accommodate 12,000 persons, acoustically arranged so that all may hear the speaker without difficulty.

The many friends of Dr. Stokes will learn with pleasure, that his health has been fully restored, and the hearty endorsement given him, in the gifts made for the new auditorium, has greatly encouraged him, as he accepts it as a complete vindication of his policy and methods in the management of all the temporalities as well as the religious services of this great and growing city.

The "Delaware Villa" is well filled with guests congenial, social and religious. The management receives the highest praise, from friends and strangers. The proprietors have been compelled to secure rooms outside for many who desired to be entertained by them. With strong desire that the employes, proprietors and all the many readers of the [illegible] may enjoy the pleasures such as are [illegible] here. I am yours,

JOHNSON.

OCEAN GROVE, August 23d.

PERSONALITIES

Little Lines About Men and Women and What They Are Doing.

—Dr. Ed. Pearson was in town this week.

—Hon. Anthony Higgins spent Sunday in Odessa.

—Miss Clara Oldfield, of Dover, is a guest at E. S. Jones'.

—Herman Cochran, of Chicago, is visiting his parents.

—Miss Neva Parvis returned to her home in Dover on Monday.

—Miss Emma Clarke, near town, is visiting friends in Elkton.

—Mr. Victor Cochran, of Philadelphia, is visiting his mother.

—Assistant post master Oscar Bittle spent Sunday in Chester, Pa.

—Fred S. Donnell, of Chicago, is spending a few days in town.

—Mrs. Wine, of Philadelphia, is visiting her brother C. N. Dodd.

—Miss Helen Naudain is visiting Miss Berre at New Egypt, N. J.

—G. E. Hukill returned on Monday from a visit to the World's Fair.

—Miss Lizzie Parker is visiting friends in Queen Anne's county, Md.

—Miss Martha Heaton is enjoying the delights of the World's Fair.

—Mrs. Jennie Walker and daughter are recuperating at Ocean Grove.

—Mr. Harry Walker, of Philadelphia visited his mother this week.

—Rev. John B. Roberts will preach at Bethel Sunday morning next.

—Myers Conwell, of Baltimore, spent several days in town this week.

—Archer C. Stites, of Chicago, spent Sunday with Middletown friends.

—Mrs. J B. Vansant, of Philadelphia, is visiting her father, W. W. Wilson.

—Miss Shackelford, of Philadelphia, is a summer guest at Miss Anderson's.

—Messrs. Jesse Shephard and W. O. Stack spent Sunday at Ocean Grove.

—Howard Craddock, of the Philadelphia *Record*, is at home for a short vacation.

—Mr. Thomas Highland Murphy, of Philadelphia, is visiting friends in town.

—Victor Green, of Chicago, is visiting his mother and friends at his old home here.

—Dr. Malone, of Greensborough, Md., was the guest of John Kelley on Tuesday.

—Little Miss Susie Bowes, of Upland, Pa., visited her uncle, Cowgill Alston this week.

—Victor Messick is home after a protracted visit to various points in Maryland.

—Mrs. John R. Dawson and two children are enjoying country delights near Easton, Md.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bobb started yesterday for a ten days visit to the World's Fair.

—Miss Emma Choate, of Newark, was the guest of Mrs. Samuel Brockson this week.

—Mr. Walter Dickson, of Philadelphia, was the guest of John B. Roberts on Sunday.

—More than three billions of cigarettes were consumed in the United States last year.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Bloomer, of Philadelphia, are visiting Middletown friends.

—Miss Sadie Harbert, of Philadelphia, is spending a vacation with her sister, Mrs. E. S. Jones.

—Misses Maggie Kemper and Belle Makens, of Philadelphia, are visiting Mrs. D. I. Allen.

—Messrs. Louis Barnard and W. Reese Parker are enjoying a week's outing near Still Pond, Md.

—Mrs. McCunningham, of near Newark, was the guest of Miss Sarah Brady a few days this week.

—Mrs. M. Barnard and daughters Misses Annie and Hattie are visiting friends at West Grove, Pa.

—George F. Vandenbraak, of Philadelphia, made a brief visit to Middletown friends yesterday.

—Misses Clara and Bessie Clarke, of Wilmington, are guests of their aunt, Mrs. George D. Kelley.

—Mrs. Frank Browne, of Philadelphia, spent a few days this week with her cousins the Misses Pleasanton.

Messrs. Ed. McPherson of Wilmington, and Emerson McWhorter, of Pittsburg, are guests of J. G. Bragdon.

—Miss Mary Staats, of Philadelphia, who is visiting relatives in Thoroughfare Neck, was in town on Thursday.

—Miss Susie Parker who has been visiting friends in Philadelphia and Wilmington returned home this week.

—Mrs. G. B. Hukill returned home on Monday and is now making a visit at her father's, Mr. J. K. Williams, near town.

—Revs. Harry White, of Camden, N. J., and W. K. Gardner, of Analomink, Pa., were guests of George Ingram this week.

—Dr. R. B. McKee came up from Rehoboth on Wednesday and returned to-day, He will bring his family home next week.

—Miss Florie Bell, daughter of Jerome B. Bell, of the Wilmington *Sunday Star*, is visiting Miss Lizzie Way, in Middletown.

—Mr. William Taylor's family will return home from Rehoboth next week, preparatory to a visit to the World's Fair soon after.

—Mrs. Alfred Cox, Miss Lou Cox, Mrs. W. H. Moore and Mrs. V. W. Massey attended the W. C. T. U. Harvest home at Townsend. on Tuesday.

—Mrs. A. T. Stuart, of Washington spent T

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TELL THE TRUTH.

The New York *World* has recently called on John Sherman, in an earnest appeal, to come to the country's rescue in this crisal hour when the people of a whole nation are crying out for deliverance from the sad and deplorable condition which the business of the country is now in, which, if not speedily relieved threatens still greater evils yet to come. The *World* uses strong language in declaring the needs of the hour, and says this is no time to consider party affiliations or political difference, but that the occasion calls for lofty action, emanating from singleness of purpose and a patriotic desire for the enactment of legislation that shall speedily restore such confidence as will enable the plain business men of the land to feel that they can again pursue the ordinary business plans of life without loss or dread of ruin. The *World* also points to Mr. Sherman's splendid record of the past, and declares that the nation's councils need the help of his unusual acumen and training in the momentous problems of finance, and bids him remember that the knowledge of the fact that his experience and ability were being brought to bear on the solution of this problem, and the marking out a way of escape, would quiet the fears of his countrymen. All of this is well said, and we like to hear it, but we note that while the *World* thus implores Mr. Sherman's help, it also, like many of its Democratic contemporaries attempts to discredit him in the estimation of its readers who are not supposed to know the whole truth as to the proceedings in Congress leading up to the enactment of what they delight to call the Sherman law, by either saying or insinuating that which the Congressional Record shows to be absolutely untrue.

Our Democratic friends are rightly anxious that the Republican members of Congress shall come to their rescue at this time, but in the same breath while they call for patriotic self abrogation on the part of Republicans, they seek partisan advantage by trying to impress the not-well-informed masses that John Sherman is responsible for all the woes of the present hour. It is natural to assume that the pretended or real fears of some of these Democratic patriots that the help which they know they must have, emanates from the consciousness that they are lying about, and abusing the very men to whom they now look for success.

The President has always been, and now is for honest money. The Republican party now is and always has been an honest money party, and they will stand by the President in his efforts in that behalf. He is the first Democrat who has had the courage to declare the truth as to why that which is called the Sherman Law was enacted, and he having so declare in his patriotic last message to Congress, it is now time for the Philadelphia *Record* and others of the partisan press to stop lying.

A BETTER DAY COMING.

In the past few days, the prospect for the unconditional repeal of the silver purchasing act, has become very much brighter. This with gold again coming into the country has somewhat strengthened the hopes of business men. At a time like the present there is one duty common to all, and that duty is to hope for the best, and to put the sign of that hope in your face. If you owe your neighbor a dollar and have a dollar to pay it with, go do it, and don't hold on to it as though you never expected to see another. Don't turn fool and take your money out of the bank, bear in mind that the banks of Middletown and our sister town Odessa, are not engaged in wild cat speculation, but loan money to plain honest people like yourself, whose note is endorsed by another who is just as honest and perhaps richer than yourself, and also bear in mind that each stock holder is held by law individually responsible to depositors in an amount equal to the par value of their shares together with the amount they have invested therein. So you see when you place your money on deposit you have for your security such men as Ex-Governor Cochran, Ex-Governor Biggs Jacob Cazier, George F. Brady, the Corbits of Odessa, Jas. M. Vandegrift and a host of others, perhaps of smaller means, but just as good quality.

We don't need to say this in the interest of the banks, but we say it in your interest. Put your money in the bank and leave it there till you need it to pay your debts, and don't carry it around with you or hide it away in your house, for in the one event it may be burned up; in the other some one may knock you on the head and take it from you, and you thus might loose both life and money. Keep calm, insure your wheat and hold it for a better price if you can.

PATRIOTISM NOT LACKING.

It is marvelous with what force and eloquence the Democratic leaders are imploring the aid of the Republicans by declaring that this is no time for partisanship but for patriotic action, and that they (Republicans) should lay aside all party feeling and come to the rescue.

If the Democrats did not know only too well that they have so many divided elements in their own party which they cannot control, they would not now be imploring Republican aid.

It is a confession of their own weakness and inability to meet the emergencies of the times. But no one doubts for a moment that the Republicans will first serve their country and then their party. This has been their history in the past, and to-day as we face what is probably the greatest financial distress ever experienced by the nation, the country at large have confidence in the strong men of the republican party giving their best time and knowledge to the solution of the serious problem now confronting us.

The Republican members of Congress with very few exceptions can be counted on to vote for the best interests of the country, both on the silver question and on any other question that may arise. The Administration would have no hope of repealing the Sherman act were it not convinced that the Republican members would vote for good money. This they will do.

PEACH growers complain of the low prices. Can they expect otherwise when the people, thrown out of work by the present financial and industrial disturbances, have no money or very little with which to buy the beautiful fruit, and the natural consequence is low prices.

WE wonder if the men who voted for a change last fall have as much change in their pockets now as they had this time last year. But they voted for a change—certainly they have gotten one kind—it is a change that we are inclined to think it is not the kind they now really need as well as want.

THE Wisconsin Republicans who voted for a change last November, are evidently disappointed in the results. A former Delawarean living in that state writes that when the farmers sheared their sheep this year, they began at the tail, because owing to the low price of wool, they were ashamed to look a sheep in the face.

WE believe it was L. Irving Handy, chairman of the Democratic State Central Committee, who in the last campaign so bitterly denounced the negro in politics, etc. We wonder if he now denounces the negro in office. Brother Handy, you the Chairman of the White Man's Committee, what think you of these appointments?

EVIDENTLY the appointment by Senator Gray of two negroes to office at Washington does not set well on the rank and file of the "White Man's Party." It is a very tender subject with them, and so it should be when we consider the undying opposition to the colored man in this State by the old line Democrats. What if Willard Elijah and Dr. Gove Saulsbury were living! Imagine their feelings, for they were the ones who had a fence erected at the polls to separate the white and colored votes—they who always raised the cry, and often with effect, of mixed schools—and now consider it—two negroes holding office at Washington? Appointed by a Delaware Democratic Senator?

WHILE the country is suffering for relief Congress consumes the valuable time by allowing its members to make speeches that, with very few exceptions are not listened to and will never be read and which will not influence a solitary vote in either body. If so much time is now consumed in the silver debate, the question naturally arises how much will be consumed by a tariff bill, and must the interests of the people suffer all this time? Confidence would be restored by a flat-footed declaration of the purposes and plans of the Democrats majority and then an immediate execution of the same, and not until the country is cognizant of what Congress will do can we expect relief If we only had more action and less talking!

THE prevailing price of wheat, as everybody knows, is the lowest on record, and while many theories have been advanced as to the causes that have produced the present condition, a thoroughly satisfactory explanation is not easy to find. This year's crop is over 120,000,000 bushels less than last years, and we are shipping it to Europe at the rates of 5,000,000 bushels per week; the necessities of the farmer and the financial depression have pushed the wheat on the market, and Europe is taking advantage of our extremity, and is buying our surplus at her own price. It has been estimated that there is no more wheat in the country than will be required for seed and bread, and it is more than probable, that, ere another crop is grown we will have to buy wheat at prices much in advance of what we are selling it for.

In May there was an attempt made in Chicago to corner the market. The price was forced up by speculators in that market above parity with other markets, and at once every granary within reach of Chicago emptied its contents into the elevators of that city to the extent of 23,000,000 bushels. This increased the available supply that much. By the available supply is meant that which the farmers have sold and which is stored in elevators and has no reference to the actual amount in existence. Nevertheless, the size of this available supply largely influences the market. When it was found that the corner was a failure the price of wheat suddenly dropped in Chicago lower than it should have been in comparison with other markets. An effort was made to hold the great supply in Chicago in store, and this was done until the financial depression forced this wheat upon the market, and doubtless the necessities of farmers have brought a great deal more on the

WASHINGTON LETTER.

WASHINGTON, August 21, 1893.—The administration's friends are to be given an opportunity on the floor of the House and Senate to defend the somewhat remarkable pension policy adopted by Secretary Hoke Smith under Mr. Cleveland's orders. Senator Gallinger has introduced a resolution directing the committee on Pensions to investigate and report to the Senate, whether the wholesale suspension of pensioners, which has been going on for some time at an average of something more than 160 a day, is in accordance with law, and a resolution of similar nature will be introduced in the House as soon as the House is in a condition to allow its ordinary business to proceed in the ordinary channels, which will be after the silver question has been disposed of, rules adopted and committees appointed. As soon as the Senate adopts Mr. Gallinger's resolution Secretary Hoke Smith and the Commissioner of Pensions will both be summoned to testify before the Senate Pension committee as to recent proceeding.

It is regarded as significant that the bill reported by the minority of the Senate Finance committee as a substitute for the Vorhees bill, for the unconditional repeal of the purchasing clause of the Sherman silver law, provides for free coinage at a ratio of 20 to 1. This indicates that the silver Senators have given up the idea of insisting upon the free coinage of silver at the present ratio. Speeches will from time to time be made on both of these bills, but it is not probable that the Senate will take them up to the exclusion of other business until after the House has voted upon the silver question, which will be early in next week.

A more senseless opposition has seldom been seen than that which certain Democrats and Populists are making in the Senate to the bill which proposes to allow national banks to issue currency to the full amount of bonds they have on deposit to secure circulation. At three different sessions of Congress the same identical bill has passed the Senate without opposition, and if it were now a law it would add $19,000 to the money in circulation immediately, and probably as much more in three months. The only argument presented against the bill is the old one, that National banks enjoy privileges denied to others, and inasmuch as any persons having the requisite capital are at all times free to organize a National bank and get their share of the privileges, that isn't a good one. After voting down some silly amendments proposed by Senators Allen and Cockrill, the Senate has now to vote upon one for the rspeal of the tax on State bank currency, which has been offered by Butler, of S. C., and there will probably be more of the same sort.

The speech of Representative J. C. Sibley, of Pa., was the most conspicuous for several reasons in the House during the past week. Mr. Sibley is a Democrat, a Bible reader, a millionaire, and a free silver man—the only one in Congress from the East, and his speech was at times highly sensational. He was not quite as open in his attack upon President Cleveland as Senator Vest was, but the attack was there all the same.

The unconditional repealers now claim a safe majority in both House and Senate, but their claim of 45 votes in the Senate includes several men whose votes are very doubtful and who are counted by the silver men in every estimate they make. The trouble about getting at what the result will be in the Senate arises largely from there being a number of Senators who if they have made up their minds how they will vote have taken nobody into their confidence.

Jerry Simpson dealt the Democrats a heavy blow below the belt when in a silver speech he fired this question at the House, in his rasping exasperating voice: "Who ever heard of the Democratic party ever repealing a law or making a law?" Receiving no answer, Jerry glared at the administration group in the House and added: "There is no Democratic party any more; it is President Cleveland's party." From which it will be seen that even a man of Jerry's small calibre can sometimes perceive the true inwardness of things Democratic.

This is to be the last week of the silver debate in the House, and, aside from the earnest desire of almost everybody to see the matter settled, there are no regrets, for with few exceptions the speeches have been uninteresting and commonplace. Unless all outward indications are at fault all of the silver amendments will be voted down and the bill for the unconditional repeal of the purchasing clause of the Sherman silver law passed by a small majority. The Republicans of the House will really hold the balance of power when the votes are taken, but they will not allow that to influence their votes.

The Century's Find.

The Century has just come in possession of one of the most unique and important historical documents of the age. It is a record of the daily life of Napoleon Bonaparte on board the English ship which bore him into captivity at St. Helena, as contained in the hitherto unpublished journal of the secretary of the admiral in charge. The reports of many conversations held by the admiral with the deposed Emperor regarding his important campaigns are given with great fulness, and there is much about the bearing and the habits of Bonaparte during the voyage. The Memoirs of Las Cases contain the story of the Emperor's deportation as told by a Frenchmen and a follower; this diary is an English gentlemen's view of the same memorable journey, and of the impressions made by daily contact with the man who had all Europe at his feet.

The diary will be published in early numbers of The Century.

The Summer Girl

And the Swell Young Man—What They Wear and How They Do.

THE term summer girl always brings before the mind's eye a delightful picture of feminine loveliness, a dreamy, entrancing vision of soft fabrics enveloping a beautifully moulded form, a fleeting glimpse of sailor hat, pink flesh and bright eyes.

There is nothing more attractive about the summer girl—provided always that they are nice ones—than her shoes.

On a hotel porch the other morning it was a noticeable fact that only three women out of a dozen wore shoes that were all that they should be. A Southern matron whose trailing silken robes are the envy of her numerous feminine admirers showed a pair of disreputable purpleish kid boots, minus several buttons and decidedly run down at the heels.

Everywhere there were reprehensible bits of foot-wear that ought to have been discarded or else attended to before coming out into the glaring light of public criticism. It is such a simple matter to keep buttons on, to rub up tan leather with the inside of a banana skin, to polish rusty black boots or pipe clay the white ones that it is a wonder that every woman does not at least wear tidy looking foot coverings even though they are not the most stylish or high priced in the market.

Remember this, girls—a man may not know the material of your gown or the shape of your hat, but he is never mistaken about the looks of your feet, and to win masculine favor one great stroke in that direction is always to wear good fitting and well-regulated shoes.

The Literary Girl.

Girl in hammock,
Reading book;
Man comes by and
Takes a look.

Girl is anxious
That the man
Thinks she's built on
Bookish plan.

He's from Boston,
And the gal
Thinks he's intel-
Lectual.

Man steps up; ad-
Mires her gown;
Sees the book is
Upside down.

Girls at the summer resorts have made popular the tedious game of Chess—because it is played with men.

Hops in upper New York, when picking begins next week, will average only half a crop. It's been the same way all summer at the seashore hotels.

Every young woman who hasn't an Eton jacket is locked up—concealed somewhere from public view. An Eton jacket goes with every dress. By a little attention to the police reports you will see the girl who fell off a dock wore an Eton jacket; that a woman arrested at the corner of Chipmunk and Davis streets was attired in a neat fitting Eton jacket; that two ladies wearing Eton jackets were last night locked up for kicking off cab driver and policemen's hats on upper Broadway; that the body of a woman having on an Eton jacket was found floating in the East River yesterday morning and is now at the morgue; that the woman who admits having done the shooting wore an Eton jacket; that the plaintiff in the case as well as the correspondent wor natty little Eton jackets.

This school boy arrangement, called the Eton jacket, is worn outside of the suspenders and has an abbreviated appearance like a crab, being very voluminous in the arms and very short in the tail. It betrays a disposition to hump itself and show a yawning chasm between the aforesaid tail and the skirt below.

It is generally conceded that the women dress to please the men. but who do the men dress to please? The modern young man does not display a very artistic taste in his choice of a summer costume. Most of the swell young men wear duck trousers, they look very cool and nice, but with someone please tell me why they insist on buying them so long that the legs have to be turned up five or six inches before they escape the ground?

The French, who are supposed to know something about cooking, never broil chops or steak, but always fry them. It is done in such a way that they are no greasier than broiled meat. An iron pan or spider is put over a quick fire and made hot and the meat laid in. If it has not sufficient fat of its own to fry in they add a bit of butter.

HOT WEATHER MEALS.

BREAKFAST.
Oatmeal and cream.
Broiled mutton chops
Coffee Graham gems.

DINNER.
Roast beef.
Mashed potatoes, new beets.
Green corn.
Cucumber salade.
Blackberry pudding.

SUPPER.
Smoked beef in Cream.
Cottage cheese, buttered toast.
Raw tomatoes, may onnaise dressing.
Plain cake Sliced peaches.

Half Rate Excursions to the Fair.

The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Co., will run a series of special excursions to the World's Fair, for which excursion tickets to Chicago will be sold at rate of one fare for the round trip from Philadelphia Division. The dates selected are September 2d, 6th and 12th. The special trains will consist of first-class Vestibuled Day Coaches, equipped with lavatories and other toilet conveniences, and an experienced Tourist Agent and a Train Porter will accompany each train, to look after the comfort of passengers. Stops for meals will be made at meal stations en route. The tickets will be valid for the outward journey on the special trains only, excepting that from way points they will be honored on local tsains to the nearest station at which the special trains are scheduled to stop. They will be valid for return journey in day coaches on all trains leaving Chicago within ten days, including date of sale.

Following is schedule of the special trains and rates from principal stations in this vicinity:

LEAVE.		RATE.
Philadelphia, 24th, and		
Chestnut Sts.....	11 00 A. M.	$17 00
Chester.....	11 18 "	17 00
Wilmington.....	11 37 "	17 00
Newark.....	11 57 "	17 00
Havre de Grace.....	12 28 P. M.	17 00
Aberdeen.....	12 34 "	17 00

Arrive Chicago next day 4.40 P. M.

Remember the dates: September 2d, 6th and 12th.

TO THE WORLD'S FAIR VIA B. & O.

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The Baltimore and Ohio railroad has placed on sale at its offices throughout the East, excursion tickets to Chicago, good going via Washington and returning via Niagara Falls, with the privilege of stop over at each point. These tickets are valid for return journey until November 15th, and are not restricted to certain trains, but are good on all B. and O. trains and permit holders to travel via Pittsburg via Grafton By either route passengers cross the Allegheny mountains, 3000 feet above the sea level, amid the most picturesque scenery in in America. Sleeping car accommodations may be reserved in advance upon application to nearest B. and O. ticket office.

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The columns of the *Sunday Press* are enriched by contributions from those whose names are written high in our lists of great authors, novelists, essayists, as well as from men of high rank in public life. The best authors know that their best audiences are the readers of the *Daily, Weekly* and *Sunday Press.*

In politics *The Press* knows no other master than the people, and the past year has seen, as has been seen before, the marked fact that it is subservient to no political boss. It has no political ambitions to foster, but looks after the interests of its readers, and delivers itself upon the issues of the day in a manner both frank and fearless, letting the facts speak for themselves and evading no issues, but meeting them all on the basis of fair play to all men at all times. Its pages know no distinctions and the rights of one class over another are neither recognized nor supported.

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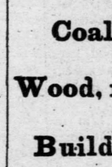

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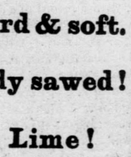

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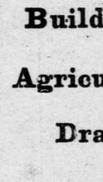

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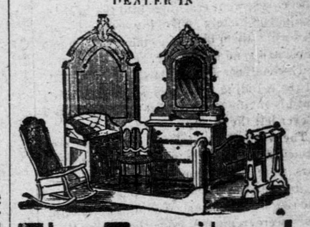

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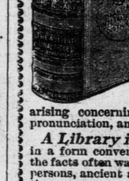

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ODESSA ITEMS.

—Mrs. A. E. Tybout, of Washington, is the guest of D. W. Corbit.

Messrs. Jno. Higgins, of Delaware City, Thomas Higgins, of New York City and Hon. Anthony Higgins, of Wilmington, were the guests of D. W. Corbit on Sunday.

Mrs. R. I. Watkins is visiting friends in Church Hill this week.

Miss Florence Seivert, of Philadelphia, spent this with Miss Mary Hahn.

E. C. Mote has accepted the principalship of the Port Penn public school.

Sylvester Townsend of Delaware City and the Messrs. Scott of Wilmington, were the guests of G. L. Townsend on Sunday.

Mrs. W. V. Woods returned on Wednesday after a two weeks visit at Asbury Park, N. J.

Miss Lida Lord of Smyrna who has been visiting M. H. Davis, near town is now the guest of Miss Emma Lord.

Frank Baker and wife of Philadelphia, are visiting J. C. Baker.

Char. K. Gibson entertained Mr. Green of West Chester Pa., a few days this week.

Mrs. G. E. Rhodes and son, of Chester, who have been the guests of W. F. Tucker, returned home on Thursday.

The Watkins Packing Co., on Wednesday commenced canning tomatoes Their first pack being 3100 cans, they are now canning both corn and tomatoes.

F. B. Watkins received another barge load of coal this week. He now has about 500 tons in his bins on the wharf.

The shipments of peaches from this port are daily growing heavier. The owners of the Clio are now running a barge three times a week alternating with the Clio.

Dr. Bliss, of Wilmington, paid our town a visit on Tuesday evening.

TOWNSEND TOPICS.

Miss Mame Townsend returned to Philadelphia on Monday.

Mrs. D. B. Jones, of New Castle, is spending a few days in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Audlehelm, of Manyunk, are the guests of Thomas Maloney and family.

Mrs. Maggie Smith and her daughters, Maud and Helen, are visiting Mrs. W. A. Scott.

J. Albert Lynam has improved his residence by adding a new front porch and a bay window.

John Alfree, aged twenty, died at the home of his grandparents on Wednesday morning, after a lingering illness.

Tobe, the trusting driving horse of G. M. D. Hart died on Monday morning.

On account of the wreck which occurred on the railroad between this place and Middletown on Tuesday evening persons were compelled to stay in and about the station, and a very comfortless place with no conveniences of any kind, from four o'clock in the afternoon until 11.30. Our people urged the travelers—some of whom were woman and small children to take shelter in their homes, but not knowing what minute their train would come, the greater number refused. However some did accept their invitations and passed the night here.

Our mother church, Old Union, will hold a two weeks tent meeting in their grove, commencing next Sunday with an all day meeting at which time Rev. W. Faries, of Smyrna, will preach in the morning. There will be a love feast at 2 o'clock. Rev. A. Stengle will preach in the afternoon and Rev. F. F. Carpenter at night.

On Monday evening at a special meeting of the Board of Education, Miss Daisy Lockerman, of this place, was elected to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Miss Emma Sweeney, who was first elected for the teacher of the primary department, but has since determined to spend another year at school in New York.

Rev. J. E. Smith, of Jacksonville, Fla., who was visiting relatives in town preached in the M. E. Church on Sunday evening. Mr. Smith served as junior preacher on this charge about twenty years ago, and his old friends were glad to have the privilege of hearing him again.

The Temperance grove meeting which was held on Tuesday, was not very largely attended in the afternoon, but in the evening there was a much larger audience and considering the excitement caused by the railroad wreck, it might be called a success. Rev. L. E. Barrett, of Wilmington, addressed the meeting in the afternoon and Rev. R. I. Watkins, of Odessa, in the evening. The grove presented a pretty appearance when lighted up. Appropriate music was rendered.

Should the weather prove favorable on Sunday morning Rev. F. F. Carpenter will hold his services in the grove.

Mr. G. M. D. Hart talks of running his evaporator with some of the later varieties of peaches. If he should do so it, together with the corn and tomato canneries will furnish plenty of employment.

DELAWARE CITY.

John C Higgins and wife left Delaware City yesterday for a trip to the World's Frir.

George McIntire started on Friday for the World's Fair.

Harry Dewees has returned to his home in Philadelphia.

Mrs. George C. Bennett and daughter, of Harrisburg, are visiting relatives in this town.

Robert Mills was seriously injured in the accident at Porter's Station on Tuesday.

Mrs. Mortimer and daughter, of Wilmington, are visiting Mrs. Mills.

Miss Lil Harmer has returned to Delaware City and is again the guest of Miss Allie Clark.

James Lea, of Philadelphia, was in town on Thursday.

George Stone, Wilmington, was in town ast week.

Rev. Mr. Oates is enjoying a vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lally, nee Miss Maude Jordon, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday with Benjamin W. Dunlap.

John Roberts, Jr., is ill with typhoid fever.

Mr. Roberts is in Philadelphia, called there by the illness of his son.

Rev. Mr. Gassner is enjoying his vacation on Long Island.

Mrs. Comegys has returned to her home in Dover accompanied by her granddaughter Miss Sallie Gassner.

William Webb died on Saturday of typhoid fever. The funeral occurred on Tuesday at 10.20 a. m. Services were conducted by Revs. Mr. Prettyman and Mr. Todd, of St. Georges M. E. Church The Golden Eagles Society of which deceased was a member, attended in a body. Interment at Delaware City Cemetery. Mr. Webb was one of our business men, having recently bought the Alexander shops and house and removed his business from the Simpson shop at the pivot bridge. He leaves a wife and one child to mourn his loss.

PORT PENN.

Rev. Jacob Weidman will take his vacation during the month of September, and expects to spend two weeks at the World's Fair.

The storm on Thursday night did no harm here besides stripping off leaves, fruit ank branches of a few trees. The rain was very welcome,

Mr. Thomas F. Dilworth who has beeu sick, is so far recovered as to be able to attend to business. His cannery will begin work this week with every prospect of a good season.

Selling boiled crabs to excursionist has proved quite a profitable business. One little girl sometimes makes over a dollar and a half at a time.

CHESAPEAKE CITY.

Miss Sadie May is visiting Mrs. Captain Flemming at Leipsic.

Edward Fosnocht, of Camden, Del., is visiting Henri Lindsey.

Mrs. Manly Drennen and daughter Rose, of Elkton, are at Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bosee, of Germantown, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. T. Hazel.

Miss Bessie Scott, of Elkton, visited Miss Elsie Karsner last week.

Miss Carrie Brady visited Miss McWhorter at St. Georges last week.

Rev. Cornelius Hudson, of Philadelphia, preached in the M. E. Church on Sunday last.

The colored camp which has been in progress for a week closed on Sunday night.

Full line of Carpets, at A. S. Adams.

Shipment of Peaches.

Peaches were shipped from Middletown this week as follows:

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Total	9732

State Fair Attractions.

In these days of hustling business activity an individual or an association wishing to get on must drive hard We propose raising a little dust now and then about our next State Fair which opens September 11. We shall have a great deal to say about it from time, to time and we hold ourselves personally responsible for every word of it.

We are now in the situation of a person who has invited his friends to dinner and is casting about for a rich menu. We feel sure that you will be at the Fair, and are really concerned just now more about what we shall have to entertain you.

We wish to call your attention now to the premium—in our judgment a magnificent one—offered by Charles E. Hires, the celebrated root beer manufacturer of Philadelphia, to the most popular lady theacher in the free schools of Delaware. We heartily approve and commend this tribute to the independent, hard working young women of our State; and we shall see that it is handled wisely. Mr Hires will send some young girl to the great fair at Chicago in truly princess style. We know, and promise you, that Mr Hires is going to take pride in this matter; it will be well done from beginning to end. The more pertinent inquiry now is, who will go? That of course must be decided by ballot. Every person above twelve years of age who enters the fair grounds will be entitled to vote once each day and there will be a polling place specially provided at the close of the fair on Friday. The lady's name that appears on the greatest number of ballots will be announced as the winner. You are only apprehensive, perhaps, on two points Will there be an honest vote and an honest count?

We say to you that it will be square. We are behind it, and we know that it has got to go straight all through You have now, we think, only to see that your friends vote. It is quite tasty and graceful in a fair young school mistress to pay all her friends the compliment of asking their vote, and if you will excuse us, we think it is now quite time you were looking after it. It is barely possible that you do not care to go, or have not time to go to the World's Fair. In that case, to be sure, Mr. Hires will pay you in money what the trip is worth. But we are quite sure that you have some acquaintance who would take your school for a week if you held the excursion card. Indeed there is not a school committee in Delaware so ungainant at to keep you home; depend on it.

We have written at some length. But there is very much that should yet be said. The trip to Chicago is not all we have in view for you. Philip Burnet, Dover agent of the great Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York, appears on the scene here. He is going to present the lucky teacher with an accident policy when she starts for Chicago. The policy will be for the handsome sum of $3,000 If the visitor to Chicago was to get jammed a little en route Mr. Burnet's paper will make the best plaster we know of in the market. But this enterprising gentleman does nothing by halves. He has another policy for $1000 on the teacher's life, payable to some individual, it may be, who will see that the unfortunate is handsomely enclosed in your native soil.

For any information address

JOHN B. WHARTON, S[illegible]

—On and after Monday 21st, and until Friday, September 1st, I will be absent from my office. During that period communications addressed to Betterton, Md., will reach me.

W. E BARNARD, D. D. S.

Half Rate Excursions to the Fair. The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Co., will run a series of special excursions to the World's Fair, for which excursion tickets to Chicago will be sold at rate of one fare for the round trip from Philadelphia Division. The dates selected are September 2d, 6th and 12th. The special trains will consist of first-class Vestibuled Day Coaches, equipped with lavatories and other toilet conveniences, and an experienced Tourist Agent and a Train Porter will accompany each train, to look after the comfort of passengers. Stops for meals will be made at meal stations en route. The tickets will be valid for the outward journey on the special trains only, excepting that from way points they will be honored on local tsains to the nearest station at which the special trains are scheduled to stop. They will be valid for return journey in day coaches on all trains leaving Chicago within ten days, including date of sale.

Following is schedule of the special trains and rates from principal stations in this vicinity:

LEAVE.		RATE.
Philadelphia, 24th, and Chestnut Sts	11 00 A. M.	$17 00
Chester	11 18 "	17 00
Wilmington	11 37 "	17 00
Newark	11 57 "	17 00
Havre de Grace	12 28 P. M.	17 00
Aberdeen	12 34 "	17 00

Arrive Chicago next day 4.40 P. M.

Remember the dates: September 2d, 6th and 12th.

A Run-a-Way Horse.

Joseph Daniels, a farmer living near Townsend met with a very painful accident on Thursday afternoon. He drove to Cecilton to witness a base ball game, and when he started home his horse became unmanageable, and Mr. Daniels was thrown from the carriage, breaking his leg near the ankle and sustaining other severe injuries. It is thought that some mischievous person had tempered with the harness and that is what caused the horse to run away. Mr. Daniels is in a very suffering and critical condition.

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NOTICE

The duplicate of school rates for the year 1893 is now in the hands of Richard Ferguson who has been appointed collector of said rates. According to the law persons liable to school rates are required to pay same in ten days after demand, and in default of payment the collector is required to proceed in the manner and use all the means provided for the collection of county rates, with the additional powers given in Bhapter 884, Volume XVI., Laws of Delaware. Those in arrears for school rates for the years 1891 and 1892 are notified that Mr. Cavendar, the Collector for those years, has been instructed to proceed at once and collect by law, and those who may be unacquainted with the law are referred to Section 18, Chapter 8, Revised Code, wherein is defined the Collector's warrant and authority.

By order of the Board of Education,

GEORGE D. KELLEY, President.
Attest—JOHN W. JOLLS, Secretary. aug19-2t

CLOTHING

GREAT BANKRUPT

CLOTHING

...Sale...

Now in full blaze, knocking the bottom out of high prices

The recent failure of a Baltimore Clothing Co. has caused their agents to locate in Middletown with a large stock of MEN'S, BOYS' and CHILDREN'S

Fine Clothing

With instructions from the Trustee to convert the entire stock into cash within a short time. To accomplish this we will sell every article at about **Fifty Cents on the Dollar** This is not our loss, but the loss of the creditors. It is your gain because you save 50 cents on every dollar you spend with us. A few of the many

BONA-FIDE BARGAINS

Men's Knockobout suits, $2.50: worth $6.00
Men's Black Worsted suits, $3.50; worth $7.50
Men's Business suits, $5.00; worth $11 50
Men's All-Wool Cheviot suits, $7.50; worth $16.50.
Men's Fine Dress suits, $10.00; worth $21.00
Men's Worsted Pants, 75c.; worth $1.50
Men's Wool Pants, $1.00; worth $2.00.
Men's English Corduroy Pants, $1.40; worth
Men's Dress Pants, $1.75; worth $4.00.
Men's Imported Dress Pants, $2.50; worth $5.00
Boys' suits (long pants) from $1.50 up.
Children's Suits, from 75c up.
Children's Knee Pants, from 20c up.
25 dozen Men's Suspenders, 10c.
Silk Suspenders, 20c.

OVERCOATS

Too hot to wear 'em; but the right time to buy We have about 400 on hand—all styles, all weights all qualities—which we will sell at a great sacrifice. We also include a large stock of Men's Boys' and Ladies' Shoes; also a lot of Calf and Heavy Boots; also a great variety of Men's Furnishing Goods, Hats and Caps Don't delay, but call at once and have first choice.

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Next Door to the Post Office,
MIDDLETOWN, DEL.

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FOR SALE

THIRTY-NINE SHARES
OF THE
CAPITAL STOCK
OF THE
NEW CASTLE COUNTY NATIONAL BANK
OF ODESSA.

APPLY TO MARTIN B. BURRIS.

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A Six Room House, on East Main Street. Possession given immediately.
Apply to
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SUMMER MILLINERY AT BIG DISCOUNTS at Mrs. A. S. ADAMS.

THERE'S NOTHING LIKE "INSTANTER" for killing pain. 50 cents ot Druggists.

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You want to get our Prices before ordering any

Paper Bags
—OR—
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We sell it at City Prices and keep a full stock constantly on hand. Give us a call.

TRANSCRIPT,
Middletown.

SHERIFF'S SALE—BY VIRTUE of a writ of Levari Facias, to me directed, will be exposed to Public Sale, at the Hotel of E. J. Stout, Delaware City, Red Lion Hundred, New Castle County, Delaware

ON TUESDAY,

THE 29th DAY OF AUGUST, 1893,

at 10 o'clock, A. M.,

The following described Real Estate, viz.:

All that certain lot or piece of ground with four frame dwellings thereon erected, situated in Delaware City aforesaid, on the northwesterly side of Washington street and southwesterly side of Henry street, containing in front and breadth in the said Washington street one hundred feet, and extending in length and depth along the said Henry street one hundred feet to an eight feet wide alley, running into and from Henry street parallel with Washington street, bounded northeasterly with the said Henry street, northwesterly by the said eight feet wide alley, southeasterly by the said Washington street, and southwesterly by lands of John Ashurst, together with the free and common use, right, liberty and privilege of said eight feet wide alley at all times hereafter forever.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Mary E. Stroup and James A. Jamison, mortgagors and C.T.s., and to be sold by

PEIRCE GOULD, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Wilmington, Delaware, August 14th, 1893.

Groceries
AT CITY PRICES

Granulated Sugar at 6c per pound; in quantities of over 25 pounds, 5½c
Coffee (Arbuckles) 24c.
All 5c articles 2 for 9c, most of them 6 for 25c.
Spices. Extracts. Celery Seed, and all things used in pickling—Fresh supply.
Coal Oil 9c per gallon.

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PENNINGTON'S CORNER.

M. E. PAINTER,
Hand-Made Harness
And General Repair Work

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FINE AND HEAVY GOODS TO ORDER.

M. E. PAINTER,
may6-tf MIDDLETOWN, DEL.

Baltimore & Eastern Shore Railroad

FALL TIME TABLE.

In effect Monday, September 19, 1892.

EAST. A. M.	P. M.		WEST. P. M.	P. M.
	4 30	Washington,	3 00	
	4 30	Baltimore,	12 30	
7 00	8 00	Claiborne,	9 00	5 40
7 05	8 04	McDaniel,	8 56	5 40
7 10	8 09	Harper,	8 52	5 32
7 30	8 15	St. Michael's	8 48	5 30
7 34	8 19	Riverside,	8 39	5 17
7 40	8 26	Royal Oak,	8 35	5 2
7 46	8 30	Kirkham,	8 29	4 2
8 20	8 45	Bloomfield, Turner's	8 25	04
8 40	9 00	Bethelehem,	03	4 20
8 58	9 09	Preston,	7 57	4 10
9 05	9 14	Ellwood,	7 50	4 00
9 26	9 23	Hurlock,	7 44	3 50
9 27	9 27	Envalls,	7 37	3 45
9 35	9 31	Rhodesdale,	7 34	3 35
9 55	9 43	Vienna,	7 22	3 15
10 08	9 51	Barren Creek,	7 13	3 00
10 18	10 00	Hebron,	7 02	2 47
10 25	10 05	Beckswalkin,	6 55	2 40
3 00	10 15	Salisbury,	6 50	2 20
3 10	10 23	Walston's,	6 36	10 05
3 25	10 28	Parsonsburg,	6 32	9 58
3 40	10 45	Pittsville,	6 26	9 25
3 50	10 43	New Hope,	6 16	9 00
4 00	10 47	Whaleyville,	6 12	8 51
4 07	10 53	St. Martins,	6 05	8 36
4 20	00	Berlin,	6 00	8 20
4 40		Ocean City,	5 45	8 00
P. M.	P. M		A. A.	M. M.

WILLARD THOMSON, A J. BENJAMIN
General Manager. Superintendent

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Free Trial,
Cures Permanently all diseases of the Nervous System, either acute or chronic in either sex It restores impaired or lost power. Checks all waste or drain; makes strong the weak. Full package $1; six for $5, trial package with book, sent securely sealed on receipt of price. Address Dr. R. DuMont, 98 So. Halsted St., Chicago, Ill.

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$10,000 in Premiums

AN UNEQUALED PROGRAMME OF
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FIVE SPEED CONTESTS DAILY,

Big Show of Blooded Animals
Horses, Cattle, Sheep, Swine and Poultry.

Magnificent Display of Exhibits
IN THE
Grain Fruit, Vegetable, Household, Fancy, Art, and Floral Departments

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Prof and Mrs Jackson, Champion Roman Riders of the World, introducing new and Thrilling Feats

FIRST APPEARANCE IN MARYLAND OF
Prof. LYON'S
Wonderful Herd of Trained Oxen

Miss May Stewart's
Educated Horse
In a marvelous and delightful entertainment

Daring Balloon Ascension and Parachute Drops

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At ELKTON, Md,
September 5, 6, 7 and 8, 1893

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A Chance for Young Teachers

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HAGERSTOWN, Md

B. & O. Railroad.

Schedule in effect May. 14, 1893.

TRAINS LEAVE DELAWARE AVENUE DEPOT EAST BOUND.

‡Express trains.

New York, week days, ‡3.03, ‡7.37, ‡8.50 ‡10.36 a m, ‡12.24, ‡ 2.40, ‡5.38, ‡7.39 p m

New York, Sundays, ‡3.03, ‡8.50, ‡10.36 a m, ‡12.24, ‡2.40, ‡5.38, ‡7.3‡, 11.0 p m.

Boston, ‡5.38 p m daily, with Pullman buffet sleeping cars running through to Boston without changing via Poughkeepsie bridge, landing passengers in B & M station, Boston.

Philadelphia, week days, ‡3.03, ‡7.37, ‡8.50, ‡10.36 a. m., ‡2.49, ‡5.38, ‡7.39, ‡11.00.

Philadelphia, Sundays, ‡3.03, ‡8.50, ‡10.36 a. m., ‡2.49, ‡5.38, ‡7.39, ‡11 p. m.

Philadelphia, week days ‡3.03, 6.00, 6.35, ‡7.37 7.47, ‡8.20, ‡8.50, 9 00, ‡ 0.50, 10 36, ‡10 30, ‡11 52, a. m., ‡12 24, 1.00, ‡2 49, 3.05, 4.05, 5 05, ‡5.38, 6.28, ‡7.38, ‡ 25, 10.00, ‡11.00 p. m

Sundays, ‡3.03, 6.35, 7 47, ‡8.50, 9.00, ‡10.36 11.40 a. m , ‡12 24, 1.00, ‡2 49, 3 05, 4 05, 5.05, ‡5.38, 6.28, ‡ 39, 8.25, 10.00, ‡11.00 p. m.

Chester, week days, ‡3.03, 6, 6 35, 7.37, 7.47, ‡8.20, ‡8.50, 9 00, ‡9.50, 10.36, ‡11.52, a. m; 1.00, ‡2.49, 3.05, 4.05, 5.05, ‡5.38, 6.28, ‡7.39, 8.25, 10.00, ‡11.00 p m

Chester, Sundays, ‡3 03, 6.35, 7.47, ‡8.50, 9.00, ‡10.36 10.40 a m; 1, ‡2.49, 3.05, 4.05, 5 05, ‡5.38, 6.28, ‡7.39,8.25, 10, ‡11 p m.

Atlantic City, week days, 7.37 a m, ‡2 49 p m; Sundays, 6.35 ‡8.50 a m; ‡2 49 p m.

WEST BOUND.

Baltimore and Washing, ‡4.46, 7.02, ‡8.47 a m; ‡12.16, ‡2 05, 3.05, ‡4.51, ‡5.35, ‡8.12, ‡9.16, p m. Sundays, ‡4.46, 7.0‡, ‡8.47, a m; ‡12 16, ‡2.05 3.05, ‡4.51, ‡5.35, ‡8.12, ‡9.16, p m.

Baltimore and way stations, 7.02 a m; 3.05 p m, daily.

Newark, Del., ‡4.46, 7.02, ‡8.47 a m, ‡2.16, 3.05, ‡4 51, ‡5.35, 7.35; ‡8.12, ‡9.16, ‡11.10, p m; Sundays, ‡4.46, 7.02, ‡8.47 a m; ‡12,16, 3. 05, ‡4 51 ‡5.36, 7.35 ‡8.12, ‡9.16, 11.10, p m.

Pittsburg, ‡8.47 a m; ‡451. p m, daily.

Chicago, ‡8.47 a m; ‡2 05, ‡9.16, p m daily.

Cincinnati and St. Louis, ‡12.16, ‡9.16, p m daily.

Slingerly Accommodation, 7.02 a m, 3.05, 7.35 and 11.10, p m daily.

Landenberg Accommodation, week days, 7 02, 11 a m; 3 05 and 4 40 p m. Sundays 9 30 a m; 3.05, 4 51 p m.

TRAINS LEAVE MARKET STREET STATION.

For New York, weeks days, ‡7 20 ‡8 00,‡9 33, ‡11 35 a m.

For Philadelphia, week days, 5 35, 6 20, ‡7 20, ‡8 00, ‡9 33, ‡11 35 a m; ‡2 42, 3.50, 9 45 p m. Sundays, ‡2 20 a m; ‡2 42, 3.50, 9 45 p m.

For Baltimore, week day, 5.35, 6.50, ‡8 00, ‡11 35 a m; ‡2 42 and ‡4 30 p m. Sundays, 6 20 a m; ‡2 55 ‡5 50 p m.

For Landenberg and way stations, week days, 6.50, 10.50 a m; 2.55, 5 p m. Sundays, 9 25 a m; 2 55 5 p m.

Chicago and Pittsburg, ‡ 00 a m daily, except Sunday; ‡11 42 p m daily.

Cincinnati and St. Louis, ‡11 35 a m, daily, except Sunday.

LEAVE PHILADELPHIA FOR WILMINGTON.

Week days, ‡4 05, 6, 7 25, ‡8 15, 8 40, 10, ‡11 42 a m; 12, noon; ‡1 45, 2, 3, ‡4 05, ‡4 14, 4 30, ‡5 40, 5 30 ‡6 02, 6 30, ‡7 35, 8 10, 8 40, 10 40 and 11 50 p m.

Sunday, ‡4 05, 6, ‡8 15, 8 50, 10, ‡11 41 a m; 12 noon; 2, 3, ‡4 05, 4 30, ‡5 51, 6 30, ‡7 24, 8 10, ‡9 05, 10 10 and 11 39 p m.

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CUT IN PRICES.
Down! Down! Down!

Now is your time for BARGAINS. In order to clean out balance of spring and summer stock we have gone through about 500 lots of goods, and have marked them at the lowest possible figures in order to make room for the fall and winter stock. All who need clothing please examine the following prices.

200 Men's Suits,	$15;	former price,	$20
187 " "	12	" "	16
260 " "	11	" "	15
780 " "	10	" "	14
165 " "	8 (job)	" "	16
350 Boys' "	6	" "	9
254 Children's"	4	" "	6
1000 Pantaloons, Working and Business Pants, from $1 to $3 per pair.			
1000 Pantaloons, Working and Business Pants, worth $6, now $4.			

We offer safe bargains in every style and kind of Clothing. Samples sent on application and fare paid within 100 miles from the city.

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Phila. Wilm. and Baltimore R. R

Delaware Division.

On andafter July 3d, 1893, trains will leave as follows.

SOUTHWARD.

	Exp.	Pass.	Exp.	Pass.	Mail.	Mail
Phila	‖ 11.16	$7.25	$10.33	$2.02	$3.53	$5.56
Balto	6.45	6.30	8.50	12.05	3.00	5 27
Wilm'g'n	12.01	8 15	11.18	2.50	4.37	6 50
Farnh'st.		f 8.24		f 2.57		
N Castle.		8.29		3.01		7.02
S Road		f 8.36		f 3.07		f 7.07
Bear		f 8 41		f 3.12		h 7 12
Porters		8.50			f 4.58	7 17
Kirkw'd.		8.54	h11.42	f 3.21		f 7 22
Mt. Pl'st.		9.03		f 3.29		f 7. 0
Armstg.		f 9.05				
Mid'twn	12.44	9.11	11.58	3.37	5.22	7.39
T'wnend.		9.20		f 3.45	5 30	7 48
Blk bird.		f 9.25		f 3.49		f 7.52
G Spr'g.		f 9.31		f 3.55		
Clayton.	1.02	9.37	12 15	3.59	5.42	8.03
S'yr'a Ly.		9.27	12.05	3.50	5.33	7.53
Brenford		f 9.42		f 4 04		f 8.13
Chesw'ld		f 9.46		f 4.10		
Dupont.				f 4.13		
Dover	1.20	9.59	12.31	4.19	6.00	8.22
W'y'm'ng	a 1.27	10.06	f 12.37	4.26	6 06	8.30
W'dside.		f 10 13		f 4.33		
Viola		f 10.17,		4.37		
Felton	a 1.40	10.22	f 12.48	4 41	6.18	
Har'ngtn	a 1.50	10.35	1.02	4.50	6.30	
Farm't'n		f 10.42	h 1.09		f 6.38	
Greenw'd.		f 10.51	h 1.16		f 6.46	
B'dgville	a 2.14	11.00	f 1.24		6.55	
Cannons		f 11.05			f 7.00	
Seaford	a 2.26	11.15	1.35		7.08	
Laurel	a 2.38	11.27	f 1.46		7.19	
Delmar	2.50	11.40	1.55		7.30	
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.

NORTHWARD.

	Exp.	Mail.	Exp.	Mail.	Exp.	Pass
Delmar	‖ 1.08			$8.05	$2.30	$3.55
Laurel	f 1.21			8.16	p2 40	4.06
Seaford	p1.34			8.28	p2.50	4.17
Cannons.				f 8.36		f 4.24
B'dgville	p1.48			8.42	f 3 03	4 29
Greenw'd.				f 8.51		f 4.38
Farm't'n				f 8.59		f 4.47
Har'ngtn	p2 22		$7.55	9.11	3 28	5 00
Felton	p 2.32		8.04	9 20	f 3.37	5.09
Viola			f 8.08	f 9 23		f 5.13
W'dside.			f 8 12	f 9.26		f 5.17
W'y'm'ng	p	$7.05	f 8 19	9.33	f 3.48	5.24
Dover	2 50	7.11	8 25	9.40	3.54	5.31
Dupont		17.14				
Chesw'ld		f 7.20		f 9 49		5.40
Brenford		f 7 24		f 9.55		f 5.47
S.yr'a	Ly	7.19	8.33	9.51	3.50	5 33
Clayton.	3.06	7 29	8.42	10 01	4 09	5.53
G Spring		f 7.33				5.59
Bl'kbird.		f 7 39		f 10 11		f 6 04
T'wnend.		7.44	8.56	10.16	4 22	6.09
Mid'tw'n.	p3.29	7.53	9.05	10 25	4.31	6.18
Armstg.		f 7.57				f 6.23
Mt. Pl'st.		8.01		f 10.33		f 6 28
Kirkw'd.		8.09		10.42		6.38
Porters.		8.15	f 9.24	10.46	4.48	6.43
Bear		f 8.20		f 10.51		f 6.48